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Honorable Robert Portman Director Office of Management and Budget Washington, D.C. 20503-0008

Dear Mr. Portman:

In accordance with Executive Order 12322, I am submitting for your review a General Reevaluation Report for Des Moines and Raccoon Rivers, Des Moines, Iowa. The report was prepared in partial response to a resolution adopted by the Committee on Public Works of the U.S. House of Representatives on July 1, 1958. The proposal is described in the report of the Chief of Engineers, dated March 28, 2006.

A copy of the report and other supporting data are enclosed. The enclosed draft letters to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate express the views and recommendations of the Secretary of the Army on whether to support authorization of the project.

Please advise this office whether the recommendations are consistent with Administration policy.

Very truly yours,

John Paul Woodley, Jr. Assistant Secretary of the Army

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